

## **CALL FOR BIDS**

Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners of Flathead County, Montana, will receive bids on the following:

### **TIRES**

Tires for Flathead County Road and Bridge Departments.

Bids for new tires, tubes, recaps, and recapping.

Tires must be name brand.

Bidder will deliver and pick up tires at the Flathead County Shop Compound, 1249 Willow Glen Drive, Kalispell, MT.

There may be one bid for new equipment tires and tubes, one bid for passenger car and pickup all season tires, one bid for passenger car and pickup winter tires and one bid for recaps and recapping.

Bid to be "firm" throughout contract period of February 1, 2016 through January 31, 2017 or until the County Commissioners call for new bids.

Bidder to furnish Net State Prices.

### **Tire Sizes: New Tires**

11R22.5 16 ply Steer Tires

11R22.5 16 ply Drive Traction Tires – Bridgestone L320/Toyo M503/ or equivalent

11R24.5 16 ply Steer Tires

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1400R24 12 ply (minimum) Snow Type Non Directional Grader Tires

20.5R25 L3 Loader Tires

23.5R25 L3 Loader Tires

12X16.5 10 ply Skid Steer Tires

### **Passenger car and pickup all season**

225/60R16 V Rated

235/55R17 V Rated

235/75R15 6 ply All Season

235/80R17 10 ply All Season

235/85R16 10 ply All Season

245/55R18 V Rated

245/70R17 10 ply All Season

265/70R17 10 ply All Season

275/65R18 6 ply All Season

275/65R18 10 ply All Season

### **Passenger car and pickup Mud and Snow**

225/60R16 Mud and Snow (pin for studs)

235/55R17 Mud and Snow (pin for studs)

235/80R17 10 ply Mud and Snow (pin for studs)

235/85R16 10 ply Mud and Snow (pin for studs)

235/60R18 M65 (pin for studs)

245/70R17 10 Ply Mud and Snow (pin for studs)

245/75R16 10 ply Mud and Snow (pin for studs)

265/70R17 10 ply Mud and Snow (pin for studs)

275/65R18 6 ply Mud and Snow (pin for studs)

275/65R18 10 ply Mud and Snow (pin for studs)

**Tire Sizes: Recap Tires**

10R22.5 Gripper Caps

11R22.5 Gripper Caps (Using County Casings)

11R24.5 Gripper Caps (Using County Casings)

Any other tires needed will be purchased at Net State Prices to be determined in the best interest of Flathead County.

Bidder to attach a typed copy of the above tire sizes listing the brand, size, tread style, grade or quality, and prices for bid comparison and to be attached to the contract if awarded the bid. Bidder is requested to include a catalog of their bid products that would include photos of tires and treads.

**Delivery:** Pickup and/or delivery/shipping will be F.O.B. to the Flathead County Shop at 1249 Willow Glen Dr., Kalispell, MT 59901.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid, a bid security in the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.000) to secure the bidder's express covenant that if the bidder is awarded the contract, the bidder will, within ten (10) days, enter into a formal contract for the period of February 1, 2016 through January 31, 2017. Bid security shall be payable to Flathead County and shall be in the form of lawful money of the United States: a cashier's check, certified check, bank money order or bank draft issued by a Montana bank; or a bid bond executed by a surety corporation authorized to do business in Montana.

The successful bidder must be able to deliver materials within ten (10) days of their being ordered by the County.

Should continued problems arise with the materials supplied by the bidder, or if the bidder cannot supply the materials needed, Flathead County reserves the right to purchase the bid items from another supplier in order to maintain operations and safety standards.

The form of contract to be signed is on file and may be obtained at the County Commissioners' Office, located on the third floor of the old courthouse in Kalispell, MT.

All sealed bids, **plainly marked as "TIRE BID"**, must be in the hands of the Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners, 800 S Main, Room 302, Kalispell, MT, 59901, on or before **Tuesday, February 9<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 o'clock a.m.** Bids will be opened and read immediately thereafter.

The Board of County Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to accept the bid deemed to be in the best interest of Flathead County.

The award of a bid will be made solely by the issuance of a letter of award to the successful bidder by the Office of the County Commissioners.

Dated this 19th day of January, 2016.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
Flathead County, Montana

By: /s/ Pamela J. Holmquist  
Pamela J. Holmquist, Chairman

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